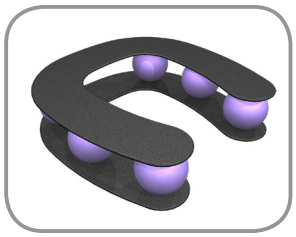
USER MANUAL - *Boiance™ Float*

PRODUCT USE

The OAKWORKS® Boiance Float is designed to allow the client's head to move over a small range, allowing natural freedom of motion.



SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

Maximum Weight Capacity: 20 lbs. (9 kg.)

DO NOT use excessive force on a person's head while using the Float.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

** Note: The Boiance Float may not work with face rest platforms that do not have a Velcro surface*

1. Install the face rest platform on your table without a face rest pad. (image 1)
2. When using with a QuickLock Face Rest, press the loop Velcro wings firmly onto the sides of the tubes where the hook Velcro is * (image 2a & 2b)
3. Place your face rest pad on top of the Float and press it into place. (image 3)

image 1

image 2a

image 2b

image 3

TIPS FOR GREAT POSITIONING

1. The Float adds about 1" to the height of the face rest pad when there is weight on it. If you have an adjustable height platform, such as Oakworks QuickLock Face Rest Platform or Adjustable Face Rest Platform, adjust the height to fit your client. (image 4)
2. When the client lies down, make sure they are centered in the range of motion of the face rest. This will insure that they will have equal freedom of movement in all directions. The Float allows the head to move approximately 1.5" from neutral in every direction. (image 5)
3. The Float is designed to offer increasing resistance to movement the farther from center a person's head moves. This creates a sense of security and promotes safe movement of their head. It is recommended that movement of the head is minimal in the first few minutes to allow the client to acclimatize to the freedom of movement.
4. For supine positions, cervical support can be achieved by turning the Float and face rest pad 180 degrees on the platform. (image 6) The Float and face rest pad can also be placed directly on the table top for supine positioning. (image 7)
5. For the ultimate in comfort, combine a Boiance Face Rest Crescent with the Float. (image 8)
6. Remove your face rest with Float from the table and store flat when not in use.

image 4

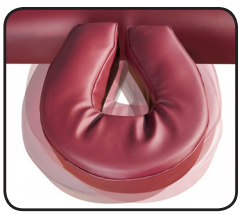


image 5

image 6

image 7

image 8

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with US & imported parts

CARE, CLEANING & DISINFECTION

1. Store the Float flat and without significant weight on it. Excessive weight or storage at an angle can lead to damage of the Float.
2. Do not allow the Float to experience freezing temperatures. The spheres are filled with water.
3. Do not immerse the Float in water or cleaning fluids. The fabric cover is removable and can be washed at low temperatures without bleach. Air dry.
4. Use appropriate sterilized field materials to isolate the patient from the Float. This also minimizes cleaning and disinfecting procedures. Use a 10% sodium hypochlorite (bleach) solution or *Recommended Disinfectants* on all surfaces. Follow the directions on the disinfectant and wipe off excess.

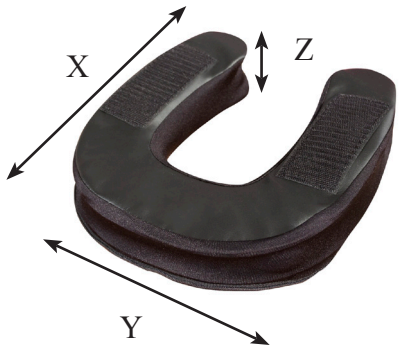
Recommended Disinfectants

Protex, MadaCide, Accell TB, Virox®

Note: Damage caused by unapproved substances will not be covered under the warranty.

SPECIFICATIONS

Dimensions (X Y Z)	9-1/2" x 9-1/2" x 2" (4cm x 4cm x 1cm)
Maximum Weight Rating	20 lbs. (9 kg)
Environmental Conditions	Temperature: 50°F (10°C) to 100°F (38°C) Humidity: 20% to 60% RH Atmospheric Pressure: 98 to 105 kPa



MAINTENANCE & SERVICE

- Periodically check the float for damage or non-uniformity

REPLACEMENT PARTS

- PN 71797: **Boiance Float**